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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of August 22, 2007, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on November 23, 2007 (November 22, 2007 falling on a Federal holiday), the present Remarks being submitted concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination, Applicant requests reconsideration and withdrawal of each of the outstanding rejections, as well as an indication of the allowability of each of the claims now pending.

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